

FISCAL NOTE

HB 2490 - SB 2964

February 29, 2000

SUMMARY OF BILL: Permits a defendant convicted of first degree murder and sentenced to death to petition the court of conviction for fingerprint or forensic DNA analysis on evidence not tested at the time of the trial because the technology was not available or results was not admissible.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Expenditures - Not Significant

Based upon 100 persons with a death sentence, the cost of testing provided under this bill would not be significant.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "James A. Davenport". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first letters of the first and last names being capitalized and prominent.

James A. Davenport, Executive Director

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